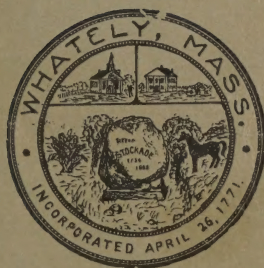


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# Whately Town Warrant

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## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

FRANKLIN, SS.

To M. E. Flavin, one of the Constables of the Town of Whately, in the County of Franklin;

### GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in Elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town, on Monday the fourth day of March, at ten o'clock A. M., then and there to act upon the following articles, viz.:—

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers—Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, one School Committee for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, Elector under the will of Oliver Smith, Auditor and Tree Warden. To vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, Shall License be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this town.

Article 3. To receive and act upon the reports of all officers, Committees, Commissioners, Trustees of the town.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the coming year and appropriate the same.

Article 5. To see what the town will do with the money received from the County called Dog Fund.

Article 6. To see if the town will make an appropriation for the Public Library.

Article 7. To see if the town will raise five per cent or any fixed per cent on amount of Town Grant, State and County Taxes, the same to be allowed to those who pay their taxes on or before Aug. 1, 1912.

Article 8. To see if the town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning March 1, 1912, in anticipation of taxes of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary, giving the Town's notes therefor, payable within one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 9. To see if the town will raise money for Cemetery purposes.

Article 10. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for street lights.

Article 11. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for repairs on Town Hall.

Article 12. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to sell all or a portion of the Town wood land.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Post Offices in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.



Given under our hands this twelfth day of February, in  
the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

R. MOSHER SWIFT,  
MONTVILLE L. CRAFTS,  
VICTOR D. BARDWELL,

Selectmen of Whately.

## Town Clerk's Report

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The vital statistics for the Town of Whately for the year 1911

### BIRTHS REGISTERED

- January 24. John Faroke to Stanley and Agnes Faroke.  
February 10. Stanley Chichenski to Stanley and Mary Chichenski  
March 19. Locadia Polialski to Stanley and Nellie Polialski  
March 21. — Mayefski to Antoni and Blanche Mayefski.  
April 14. — Drisgoli to Aleels and Josie Drisgoli.  
April 18. Castaf Beivolski to Lofield and Wadis Keivolski.  
April 28. Edna Scott to Frank and Charlotte Scott.  
May 11. Genevieve Elinore Field to Charles and Cora Field.  
June 8. Julia Lozeswki to Felix and Katie Lozeswki.  
June 17. Lucy Elizabeth Crafts to Clifford and Julia Crafts.  
June 20. Russell Sherman Bardwell to Frank and Helen Bardwell.  
June 27. — Narkoski to John and Annie Narkoski.  
July 1. Julius Jukosky to Henry and Victoria Jukosky.  
July 31. William Javonoski to Thomas and Blanche Javonoski  
Sept. 5. Genevieve Chikoski to Walter and Annie Chikoski.  
Sept. 15. Pauline Agnes Stefance to — and — Stefance.  
Oct. 16. Annie McCavish to Tom and Eva McCavish.  
Oct. 30. Nellie Grabels to Bileslaw and Lena Grabels.  
Nov. 10. Wadislaw Serowek to Festian and Helena Serowek



- Nov. 27. ——— Smoiks to Simon and Katie Smoiks.  
 Dec. 9. Margaret Hafey to John and Helen Hafey.  
 Dec. 9. Mary Hafey to John and Helen Hafey.  
 Dec. 14. ——— Miskoski to Antony and Frances Miskoski.  
 Dec. 20. Charles Shshenski to Frank and Frances Shshenski  
 Dec. 20. Adam Dishkevitz to Adam and Annie Dishkevitz.  
 Dec. 23. John Listorsterike to Frank and Johanna Listorsterike.  
 Dec. 25. Ella May Kaszowis to Adam and Mary Kaszowis  
 Dec. 31. Julia Duda to Mike and Nellie Duda

Comparison table of births for the last five years.

1907	1908	1909	1910	1911
26	23	14	30	28

## MARRIAGES REGISTERED

- January 9. Farustin Serowek of Hatfield, 24; Michalina Kownacka of Whately, 20.  
 May 22. Aiexander Oleksewicz of Whately, 24; Masianna Wasilewska of Whately, 27.  
 June 12. Antoni Ortowski of Whately, 45; Marezena Rownicker of Whately, 27.  
 September 18. Joseph Felyskowski of Bradstreet, 30; Jadwiga Wysoki of Whately, 18.  
 September 30. George H. Russell of Greenfield; 23; Gertrude M. Felix of Whately, 22.  
 October 19. Rylan C. Howes of Whately, 52; Mary J. Mosher of Bradstreet, 39.  
 October 25. Caleb D. Allen of Whately, 22; Bessie M. Coding of Williamsburg, 25.  
 November 6. Antoni Osenisnce of Whately, 30; Karolina Adomareriete of Whately, 23.

November 20. Peter Senenieke of Whately, 29; Manya Maneski of So. Deerfield, 18.

Comparison table of marriages for the last five years.

1907	1908	1909	1910	1911
1	8	9	7	9

### DEATHS REGISTERED

			Yrs.	Mo.	Days
January 18.	Robert H. Bardwell,	X	30	10	4
February 3.	Unnamed Infant,		Probably born alive		
February 4,	Catherine Shea,				
March 10.	Sarah M. Coddington,	X	66	11	18
April 5.	Sophia Childs Smith,		76	5	16
April 10.	Calvin S. Loomis,		84		14
April 23.	Anna Elvira Wood,		74	7	20
May 12.	Miriam S. Cooley,		55	10	20
June 27.	—— Narskoski,				Still born
July 29.	Henry W. Bardwell,	X	64		12
August 26.	Katherina Aryinitch,			4	2
Sept. 10.	Elsie I. Waite,		16	4	29
Sept. 16.	William T. Brunkard,		25		
Sept. 16.	Patrick Dalton,		70	1	22
Nov. 7.	Clifford Lewis Crafts,		29	11	
Nov. 23.	William H. Frary,	X	62	6	13
Nov. 27.	—— Smoiks,				Still born
Dec. 10.	J. Dustin Reed,		42	1	
Dec. 10.	Giles F. Reed,		33	9	8
Dec. 20.	Stephen Martin,		64		

## Comparison table of deaths for the past five years.

1907	1908	1909	1910	1911
27	15	18	15	20

If any mistakes have been made in the above record, either in name or date, if those interested will inform the Clerk of the fact, the records will be corrected.

## DOGS

The number of dogs licensed during the year ending December 31, 1911, with receipts and settlement of the account with the County Treasurer, is as follows:

43 male dogs at \$2.00,	\$86 00
13 spayed female dogs at \$2.00,	26 00
2 female dogs at \$5.00,	10 00
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Total tax,	\$122 00
Less fees 58 dogs at 20 cents,	11 60
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Paid E. A. Newcomb, County Treasurer,	\$110 40

## Comparison table for the last five years.

1907	1908	1909	1910	1911
\$138 00	\$129 60	\$120.60	\$109.20	\$11.040

## HISTORIES OF WHATELY

I herewith submit the 13th annual report as agent of the Town for the Histories of Whately.

Number of books on hand as per last report,	407
Number of books sold,	5
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Balance of books on hand,	402



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Received from sale of books, 4 books at \$3.00,	\$12 00
1 book at 4.00,	4 00
Paid R. C. Howes, Treasurer,	\$16 00

HERBERT E. ROOTE, Town Clerk.

## Collector's Report

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M. E. FLAVIN, Collector, in Account with the  
Town of Whately.

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To Uncollected taxes, 1909,	\$ 5 38	
"          "      1910,	12 30	
"          "      1911,	4,110 54	
Omitted Assessments,	20 45	
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By Cash paid R. C. Howes, Treasurer,	\$4,119 15	
By Uncollected taxes, 1906	2 00	
"          "      1910	2 00	
"          "      1911	25 52	
	<hr/>	\$4,148 67

## Treasurer's Report

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Receipts and Payments of CLIFFORD L. CRAFTS, Treasurer  
and Collector, from Feb. 18, 1911 to Nov. 6, 1911,  
the day of his death.

Cash on hand, as reported,	\$4,164 63
Error in that balance,	101 40
Received from State Treasurer,	
For State Aid,	22 18
Industrial School,	50 00
Inspection of Animals,	32 12
Tuition of Children,	3 00
From M. L. Crafts, butcher license,	3 00
G. B. McClellan,	5 00
H. E. Roote, Town History,	4 00
J. P. Manwell,	13 33
John Higbie, liquor license,	250 00
Temporary Loans,	2,000 00
1908 Taxes collected,	97
1909   "       "       "	63 57
1910   "       "       "	384 77
1911   "       "       "	3,636 02

### PAYMENTS

Old outstanding orders,	\$835 63
Old bills,	42 76
Contingent,	680 08
Library,	78 88



Schools,	\$1,884 46	
Interest,	140 00	
Cemetery expenses,	75 45	
Highways,	1,644 74	
Bridges,	83 23	
State Aid,	92 00	
Town officers.	105 48	
Poor,	150 61	
School House Bond,	500 00	
Liquor license,	62 50	
Abatement of taxes,	24 00	
Temporary Loans,	2,000 00	
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Total payments,		\$8,399 82
Balance of bank deposit,		360 74
Cash on hand,		203 78
Deficit,		1,769 65
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	\$10,733 99	\$10,733 99

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## Selectmen's Report.

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The Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor having attended to their duties as defined by the statutes, respectfully submit the following report.

### OLD BILLS

L. S. Munson, highway labor,	11 93
Waite & Strippe,           “	15 00
Rupert Rolfe,               “	1 75
F. H. Brown,               “	1 75
Leroy Lawrence,           “	4 33
M. L. Crafts, preambulating Conway line setting stone	3 00
John Darr, support of water tank,	5 00
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	\$42 76

### CONTINGENT

Wm. M. Olin, supplies,	\$ 1 25
Wm. M. Kiely, printing town reports,	45 90
Town of Sunderland, ½ repairs on Sunderland bridge,	9 12
T. C. Breman, fumigation expense	12 00
H. E. Roote, reading proof,	5 00
R. M. Swift, postage \$1.00, express .60, cash paid for copy press \$7.88, time and expense to Springfield \$2.00,	11 43
F. T. Woodward, clerk's bond,	5 00
C. L. Crafts, treas. bond,	10 00
Wm. M. Kiely, printing for treas. and coll.	4 00

A. H. Bartlett, stationery for clerk,	\$ 30
P. B. Murphy, 100 dog licenses,	1 25
Daniel Dickinson, express .25, quaranting cattle \$6.00, inspecting cattle \$22.00,	28 25
Hobbs & Warren, blanks for town officers,	1 79
A. W. Brown, supplies for assessors,	11 50
R. M. Swift, time and expense to Greenfield \$1.30, telephone .60, freight \$2.00, cash paid for re- pairs \$1.00,	4 90
Edward Morrissey, watching Brunkard fire	1 75
J. A. Wood, fighting fire,	5 75
Geo. W. Allis, repairs on hall roof,	5 50
Cecil T. Bagnall, stationery for assessor,	4 40
W. L. Dickinson, damage to horse, wagon and harness	5 00
Foster Bros., dynamite,	17 75
M. J. Poner, fighting fire,	2 00
Mrs. F. C. Crafts, cleaning selectmen's office,	1 50
M. W. Moseley, repairs for scraper,	32 50
Samuel D. Conant, fees in Cook tax case,	22 54
Director of Bureau of Statistics, registering town notes,	6 00
Badger Fire Extinguisher Co., fire engines,	410 00
R. M. Swift, time and expense to Easthampton \$1.40, time, expense to Greenfield \$1.30, pos- tage, \$1.00,	3 70
F. T. Woodward, coll. bond,	10 00
R. M. Swift, time and expense to Greenfield and Northampton \$3.40, express .50,	3 90
H. E. Roote, cash paid for copying register,	3 00
Crittenden & Munson, printing for coll. \$5.00 warrant book \$10 00,	15 00
J. B. Bridges, officers fees,	10 26
R. M. Swift, postage \$3.50, stationery .15, audit- ing accounts \$12.95, time and expense to Nor- thampton and Greenfield \$5.50,	21 85
V. D. Bardwell, auditing accounts,	10 50
M. L. Crafts, " "	3 50
H. E. Roote, to Buckland with transcript of votes,	5 00



M. E. Flavin, coll. book,	2 00
F. T. Woodward, bonds for coll. and treas.	6 56
Irving Allis, water for tank and fountain,	20 00
Noah Lee, stove repairs,	2 55
Howes & Roote, supplies for hall and library,	30 70
F. L. Graves, repairs on scraper, etc.,	16 35
E. M. Haskins, officers fees,	26 96
John Darr, support of water tank,	5 00
Geo. E. Sanderson, support of water tank,	5 00
Warren P. Crafts, " " "	5 00
L. A. Crafts, " " "	10 00
Bardwell Bros., " " "	10 00
Edward Wood, ringing bell,	10 00
" " services as janitor,	15 00
F. L. Graves, services as elector	10 00
L. F. Crafts, glass and setting same,	3 55
S. A. Wood, inspection of meat,	43 95
E. W. Wood, labor on stoves and chimneys,	1 75
M. L. Crafts, labor on hall,	2 00
W. G. Strippe, inspection of animals,	16 00
Walter Hesser, fighting fire,	1 50
James Flavin, " "	1 50
Geo. Bartlett, " "	1 00
M. L. Crafts, cash paid for mason,	3 00
N. S. Black, relining stoves, pipe. labor, etc.,	19 69
N. Holden, M. D., reporting births,	3 00
H. A. Suitor, M. D., " "	50
Chas. Moline, M. D., " "	3 50
H. E. Roote, reporting births, deaths, marriages,	13.25
justice fees,	5.00
express and postage,	3.84 22 09
L. A. Crafts, special audit of town accounts,	45 00
M. L. Crafts, auditing town accounts,	4 90
V. D. Bardwell, " "	3 50
R. M. Swift, auditing town accounts,	3.50
postage,	1.00
telephone,	60 5 10

Leslie Waite, wood for hall,	\$ 5 00
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	\$1,114 74

## BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

F. S. Bardwell, painting bridge,	\$ 5 34
V. D. Bardwell, 1204 ft. plank at \$22.00,	26 44
Bardwell Bros., team and labor,	35 75
Waite & Strippe, " "	59 10
Geo. H. Strippe, labor,	25 03
Mrs. Bridget Flavin, team,	8 00
M. L. Crafts, labor,	4 00
M. E. Flavin, "	3 50
Henry K. White, gravel,	6 20
Mrs. Helen Crafts, team and labor,	15 70
W. P. Crafts, bridge plank,	55 25
Wells T. Smith, town's share in changes near Brunkard place,	75 00
V. D. Bardwell, 758 ft. plank,	15 16
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	\$334 47

## HIGHWAYS

John Brunkard, highway labor,	\$14 30
James Knowlton, "	10 90
Chas. J. Smith, "	1 75
Geo. N. Smith, 28 loads dirt,	2 80
Mrs. Helen Crafts, highway labor,	4 00
John Brunkard, "	4 00
James Knowlton, "	2 00
Leslie Waite, "	3 50
Patrick Dalton, "	3 50
Fred W. Bardwell, "	45 85
L. M. Sanderson, bridge sleepers and railings,	11 94
Leroy Lawrence, highway labor,	16 97

L. S. Munson, gravel,	\$ 75
J. E. Waite, "	2 95
H. A. Sharpe, "	1 50
Bardwell Bros., highway labor,	12 00
Lucien Moody, "	7 70
Frank Polish, "	12 25
Geo. Strippe, "	10 15
Wm. Koncal, "	10 57
Waite & Strippe, "	40 87
Peter Lynonski, "	2 97
A. J. Coddling, "	16 00
Lucius Allis, "	11 60
L. C. Sanderson, "	40 59
Hiram Bardwell, " and gravel,	11 85
Wilbur Grover, "	17 05
Joseph Quinn, " plain road,	10 50
Chas. Wells, " "	34 50
Anthony Ryan, " "	34 50
J. H. Phelix, " "	25 50
T. J. Heafey, " "	38 95
N. T. Heafey, "	17 75
John N. Heafey, "	17 75
Joseph Mayiski, "	4 00
F. C. Kidder, gravel for plain road,	26 70
John C. Hayes, highway labor plain road,	16 00
Mike Duda, " "	42 00
Morris Powers, " "	39 00
R. M. Swift, " "	41 87
Stephen Quinn, " "	5 25
Edward Quinn, " "	14 00
M. E. Manning, " "	47 50
Fred W. Bardwell, "	30 60
Wm. Koncal, "	13 35
Waite & Strippe, "	32 00
Geo. Strippe, "	9 72
E. E. Sanderson, "	6 32
H. S. Munson, "	4 22



James Carey, highway,	\$4 13
L. A. Crafts, labor on bridge,	3 50
Lucien Moody, highway labor,	9 51
A. J. Coddington,        "	76
E. L. Grover, 56 ft. railing,	1 68
Peter Lynonski, highway labor,	8 17
Bardwell Bros.,        "	12 00
L. C. Sanderson,        "	29 02
Henry Guyotte,        "	6 14
Leroy Lawrence,        "	1 75
Geo. E. Sanderson, bridge plank,	10 20
Waite & Strippe, highway labor,	1 20
Patrick Dalton, hanging lanterns plow point,	8 15
drawing water for boiler,	90
E. E. Sanderson, stone work,	1 00
John Moore, drawing wood and moving boiler,	9 57
Geo. W. Moore, blasting and getting out stone,	56 00
A. L. Adkins, labor on stone work,	25 50
Homer L. Crafts, cleaning out ditch,	88
R. M. Swift, highway labor,	5 72
James Knowlton,        "	7 75
John Brunkard,        "	5 50
Geo. H. Strippe,        "	22 75
Waite & Strippe,        "        scraping,	39 50
Fred W. Bardwell,        "        "	38 00
M. L. Crafts,        "	3 00
Rupert Roolfe,        "	1 75
Lucius Allis,        "	3 00
Henry Johnson,        "	5 25
Mrs. Helen Crafts,        "	80
E. W. Wood,        "	88
L. C. Sanderson,        "	20 55
Patrick Dalton,        "	3 50
Waite & Strippe,        "	13 75
E. L. Grover, railings,	56
Lucius Ellis, highway labor,	2 25
Lester Waite,        "	1 75

Geo. Strippe, highway labor,	\$5 25
V. D. Bardwell,           “	12 26
O. E. Morton, Sr.,       “	4 50
A. H. Beers,             “	4 38
L. C. Sanderson,       “	11 45
Geo. Strippe,           “	1 75
Lucius Allis,           “	2 25
Leroy Lawrence,       “	1 00
Waite & Strippe,       “	4 00
Fred W. Bardwell,     “	3 75
United Construction Co., girders for Lane bridge,	175 00
John C. Hayes, highway labor,	2 87
Lyman A. Crafts,       “	34 24
M. L. Crafts, express on drill,	1 30
Murray Crafts, highway labor,	1 50
Frank H. Brown, 1000 feet bridge plank,	20 00
N. T. Heafey,       highway labor,	1 75
V. D. Bardwell,       “       “	23 87
Fred B. Bardwell, wood for boiler,	1 00
M. L. Crafts, cash paid for picks,	4 38
Morris Powers,       highway labor,	9 75
John C. Hayes,       “       “	6 00
Chas. Wills,           “       “	11 25
Mike Dada,           “       “	7 42
Jos. Phelix,           “       “	5 15
Chas. Pease,           “       “	9 50
N. T. Heafey,       “       “	8 62
T. J. Heafey,       “       “ and dirt,	15 65
John Brunkard,       “       “	8 62
Thos. Brennan,       “       “	8 62
J. L. Heafey,       “       “ and dirt,	16 50
Jos. Rapcaka,       “       “	4 00
Jos. Mayiski,       “       “	5 15
R. M. Swift,           “       “	6 62
John Kapinski,       “       “	5 25
Waite & Strippe,     “       “	15 75
Fred W. Bardwell,   “       “	13 25

Geo. Strippe,	highway labor,	\$7 30
Frpnk O. Scott,	" " and plank,	31 15
A. L. Adkins,	hanging lanterns,	3 00
J. A. Sullivan,	scyths and snaths,	3 00
L. C. Sanderson,	highway labor,	13 36
Lester Waite,	" "	3 19
M. E. Flavin,	" "	1 75
Mrs. B. Flavin,	" "	5 75
C. B. Dickinson,	" "	5 75
Robert Dickinson,	" "	4 00
H. K. White,	50 loads gravel,	5 00
O. E. Morton,	highway labor,	2 50
Mrs. Helen Crafts,	" "	12 35
John C. Hayes,	" "	2 88
John F. Moore,	" "	5 75
L. C. Sanderson,	" "	7 78
Fred W. Bardwell,	" "	4 00
M. J. Powers,	" "	21 25
Henry Mowrey,	" "	1 75
Chas. A. Bardwell,	" "	11 00
Chas. Knight,	" "	5 25
John Brunkard,	" "	8 00
Mike Duda,	" "	5 75
Joseph Phelix,	" "	4 00
E. C. Warner,	" "	11 50
C. B. Dickinson,	" "	16 92
Geo. B. McClellan,	" "	36 86
Stephen Quinn,	" "	1 75
J. L. Heafey,	" " 84 loads dirt,	8 40
Ed. Morrissey,	highway labor,	3 50
R. M. Swift,	" "	3 00
Horatio Pawling,	" "	1 75
Katherine Sanderson,	hanging lanterns,	4 00
V. D. Bardwell,	highway labor,	1 50
E. E. Sanderson,	" "	5 95
Wm. Koncal,	" "	6 12
L. S. Munson,	" "	10 40

Fred B. Bardwell, highway labor,	\$2 10
Thomas Flynn, " "	3 20
A. H. Beers, " "	4 15
Geo. W. Moore, dynamite, caps and fuse,	5 00
Edwin Graves, highway labor,	1 55
F. O. Scott, lumber for culverts,	2 00
C. B. Dickinson, highway labor,	12 00
Albert McClellan, " "	14 00
Geo. B. McClellan, " "	53
E. C. Sanderson, " "	1 75
L. F. Graves, railings,	3 52
Henry Mowrey, highway labor,	3 00
Horatio Pawling, " "	3 00
Wm. Ryan, " "	10 00
E. E. Sanderson, " "	1 00
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	\$2026 17

## CEMETERIES

Cemetery Commissioner's Orders have been drawn amounting to \$119.75.

See Cemetery Commissioner's Report.

The income of the following gifts are to be used for Cemetery purposes.

Miss Betsy Waite, \$100.00, deposited in the Easthampton Savings Bank, the income to be used in caring for her father's lot in the West Whately Cemetery.

Miss Mary Dickinson, \$1000.00, secured by mortgage, after caring for the three Dickinson lots in the Center cemetery in a becoming manner, the remaining unused income to be used in general improvement of the Center cemetery.

Mr. Calvin S. Loomis, \$100.00, deposited in the Easthampton Savings Bank, the income to be used for perpetual care of his lot in Center cemetery.



## POOR

The expense for support of the poor for the past year has been as follows:

Town poor,	\$153 73
Aid rendered State paupers to be reimbursed,	95 98
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	\$249 71

## STATE AID—Chap. 468, Acts of 1909

Edward E. Sanderson,	\$48 00
Lucien Moody,	48 00
Mrs. Jane G. Crafts,	48 00
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	\$144 00

## LIBRARY

Orders have been drawn amounting to	\$205 02
See Library Trustees Report.	

## TEMPORARY LOANS

Franklin County National Bank,	\$1000 00
“ “ “ “	1000 00
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	\$2000 00

## INTEREST

C. D. Parker & Co., int. on school house bonds,	\$250 00
Franklin County National Bank, int. on temporary loans,	10 00
R. C. Howes, Treas., int. on State tax,	74
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	\$260 74

## SCHOOL HOUSE BONDS

C. D. Parker & Co., payment of Bonds July 1st,	\$500 00
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## COUNTY TAX

E. A. Newcomb,	\$890 17
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## STATE TAX

Elmer A. Stevens,	\$770 00
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## STATE HIGHWAY REPAIRS

Elmer A. Stevens,	\$197 50
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## LIQUOR LICENSE

Elmer A. Stevens,	\$62 50
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## ABATEMENTS—1910 Taxes

Elisha G. Bardwell,	\$2 00
John Batts,	2 00
Jacob Eyn,	2 00
Jacob Farrick,	2 00
Garley Garlicki,	2 00
Orson Goodell,	2 00
William Miller,	2 00
Alexander Miller,	2 00
Frank Polish,	2 00
Tony Smith,	2 00
Frank Letikoski,	2 00
Jas. Legreck.	2 00

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\$24 00

## TOWN OFFICERS

## SELECTMEN

M. L. Crafts,	\$50 00
V. D. Bardwell,	50 00
R. M. Swift,	100 00

## ASSESSORS

M. E. Flavin,	\$55 48
H. L. Crafts,	50 00
C. E. Waite,	42 50
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	\$147 98

## CLERK

H. E. Roote,	\$10 00
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## TREASURER

R. C. Howes,	\$20 00
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## AUDITOR

Lyman A. Crafts,	\$10 00
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## ELECTION OFFICERS

## REGISTRARS

H. E. Roote,	\$15 00
R. M. Swift,	15 00
M. L. Crafts,	15 00
V. D. Bardwell,	15 00
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	\$60 00

## BALLOT CLERKS

H. L. Crafts,	\$2 50
M. E. Flavin,	2 50
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	\$5 00

RECAPITULATION OF ORDERS DRAWN BY  
SELECTMEN.

State Aid,	\$ 144 00
Poor,	249 71
Old Bills,	42 76
Contingent,	1114 74
Cemetery,	119 75
Highways,	2026 17
Bridges and Culverts,	334 47
Library,	205 02
Town Officers,	387 98
Election Officers,	65 00
State Highway Repairs,	197 50
State Tax,	770 00
County Tax,	890 17
Temporary Loans,	2000 00
School House Bond,	500 00
Interest,	260 74
Liquor License,	62 50
Abatements,	24 00
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	\$9394 51

## LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN FEB 11, 1912

Selectmen's Orders outstanding unpaid,	\$ 25 55
School           "           "           "	593 05
School House Bond No. 3, due July 1, 1912,	500 00
"           No. 4,           "           1, 1913,	500 00



School House Bond No. 5, due July 1, 1914,	\$500 00
“ No. 6, “ 1, 1915,	500 00
“ No. 7, “ 1, 1916,	500 00
“ No. 8, “ 1, 1917,	500 00
“ No. 9, “ 1, 1918,	500 00
“ No. 10, “ 1, 1919,	500 00
“ No. 11, “ 1, 1920,	500 00
“ No. 12, “ 1, 1921,	500 00
“ No. 13, “ 1, 1922,	500 00
“ No. 14, “ 1, 1923,	500 00
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	\$6618 60

## ASSETS OF THE TOWN

Due from State for State Aid rendered,	\$ 180 00
Uncollected taxes, 1909, \$2.00, 1910, \$2.00,	4 00
“ “ 1911,	25 52
Cash in treasury,	2128 58
Town lands, 68½ acres,	300 00
Due from Bond Companies,	1769 65
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	\$4407 75

## TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall,	\$4000 00
Derrick, two road machines,	300 00
Six school houses,	10,000 00
Safe, furniture in town hall and library,	400 00
Store house,	100 00
Two chemical engines,	400 00
Library and Supreme Court decisions,	1000 00
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	\$16,200 00

R. MOSHER SWIFT,  
MONTVILLE L. CRAFTS,  
VICTOR D. BARDWELL,  
Selectmen.

# Auditor's Report

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I have compared the accounts of the Treasurer, Tax Collectors, School Committee and Selectmen and find as follows:

The receipts and payments since Feb. 18, 1911.

Balance as per last report,	\$4164 63	
From Taxes of 1908,	97	
"    1909,	66 95	
"    1910,	395 07	
"    1911,	7721 04	
From other sources,	4971 97	
Payments by C. L. Crafts,		\$8399 82
Deficit " " "		1769 65
Payments by R. C. Howes,		5022 58
Cash in treasury, Feb. 10, 1912,		2128 58
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	\$17,320 63	\$17,320 63
Selectmen have drawn orders amount-		
ing to	\$9394 51	
School Committee have drawn orders		
amounting to	3810 86	
Selectmen's orders paid,		\$9368 96
School orders paid,		3217 81
Outstanding orders of Selectmen,		25 55
"    "    School Com.,		593 05
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	\$13,205 37	\$13,205 37
Uncollected Taxes,		
Taxes of 1909,		\$ 2 00
"    1910,		2 00
"    1911,		25 52

LYMAN A. CRAFTS, Auditor.

Whately, Feb. 10, 1912.

# Cemetery Commissioner's Report.

## RESOURCES

Town appropriation,	\$75 00	
Sale of burial lot in Center Cemetery,	14 00	
Income from trust fund, Betsey Waite,	4 04	
“ “ “ “ Mary Dickinson,	45 00	
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		\$138 04

## EXPENDITURES

Irving Allis, water rent,	\$10 00	
Rubert Rolff, mowing,	10 00	
L. F. Crafts, labor in Center cemetery,	15 00	
“ “ care of Dickinson lots,	10 00	
J. L. Moody, labor in West cemetery,	23 25	
“ “ labor on Betsey Waite lot,	4 00	
J. H. Pease, expenditures in East cemetery,	56 85	
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		\$129 10
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Unexpended balance,		\$8 94

Respectfully submitted,

L. F. CRAFTS,

J. L. MOODY,

J. H. PEASE,

Cemetery Commissioners.

# REPORT OF

## Trustees of the Public Library

OF THE TOWN OF WHATELY

In compliance with the law, the Trustees of the Public Library herewith submit their Annual Report to the citizens of the Town.

### RECEIPTS

Appropriation,	\$150 00	
Dog Fund,	62 16	
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		\$212 16

### EXPENDITURES

Books,	\$95 75	
Magazines,	27 10	
Salary, Miss Roote,	40 00	
“ Mrs. Bardwell,	12 00	
“ Mrs. Woods,	12 00	
- Cleaning library,	6 75	
Cash paid, express & supplies, billings,	2 55	
Magazines, covers,	8 87	
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		\$205 52
Balance unexpended,		\$7 14



Having been granted by the Town a somewhat larger sum than usual for Library purposes, we have made an effort to increase our circulation by establishing branches in the East and West Districts of the Town. This we feel has been to a considerable degree, a success. Supplying those who desire reading matter, with less inconvenience than formerly. We desire to call attention to the fact that the Mass. Agricultural College has adopted a plan which it calls Library Extension Work.

The proposition is to send, upon request, to the smaller libraries, as a loan, collections of books treating of Agriculture of Rural Life and the betterment of Social affairs in Country places.

We have already a few of these books for circulation.

We have found the magazine department to be popular with the reading public and have materially enlarged our list of magazines and periodicals.

We append hereto a complete list of books purchased during the year.

JOSEPH BILLINGS,

FRED B. BARDWELL,

WATSON FIELD,

Library Trustees.

## LIST OF NEW BOOKS, 1911.

## FICTION

Two on the Trail,	Footner
Molly Make Believe,	Abbott
Happy Island,	Lee
Jim Hands,	Child
Clever Betsey,	Burnham
Rose in the Ring,	McCutcheon
What's His Name,	"
Mary Midthorne,	"
Adventure,	"
Kerziah Coffin,	Lincoln
Woman Haters,	"
Cy Whittaker's Place,	"
The Steering Wheel,	Mason
Victory of Allen Rutledge,	Carlsey
The Rules of the Game,	White
The Skipper of the Skipped,	Day
Col. Todhunter of Mo,	Saunders
The Bolted Door,	Gibbs
The Catspaw,	Osborne
The Window of the White Cat,	Rinehart
The Grain of Dust,	Phillips
The Other Sylvia,	Rhoades
Robinetta,	Wiggin
Adventures of Quincy Adams Sawyer,	Pidgin
A Woman with a Purpose,	Ray
Miss Gibbie Gault,	Bosher
The Prodigal Judge,	Kester
Miller of the Old Church,	Glasgow
The Long Roll,	Johnstone
Freckles,	Porter
The Girl of the Timberlost,	"
Max,	Thurston
The Common Law,	Chambers

Winning of Barbara Worth,	Waight
That Printer of Udells,	"
The Iron Woman,	Deland
The Ne'er Do Well,	Beach
A Weaver of Dreams,	Reed
Jinks Inside,	Hobson
Kennedy Square,	Smith
The Harvester,	Porter
Average Jones,	Adams
The Sick a Bed Lady,	Abbott
Billy,	Taylor
Keeping up with Lizzie,	Basheller
Queed,	Harrison
Nobody's,	Demarest
Her Husband,	Magruder
The Broad Highway,	Farnol
The Money Moon,	"
Following of the Star,	Barclay
Initials Only,	Greene

## JUVENILE WORKS

Old Ben,	Otis
The Secret Garden,	Burnett
Betty Wales, Freshman,	Warde
" " Junior,	"
" " Senior,	"
" " B. A.,	"
" " On the campus,	"
" " And Co.,	"
" " Decides,	"
Rollo, At Work,	Abbott
" " Play,	"
" " School,	"
" 's Vacation,	"
" 's Experiments,	"
" 's Travels,	"

Team Mates,  
 Dorothy the Motar Girl,  
 Forest Castaways,  
 Wolf in the Woods,  
 Dorothy's Spy,

Barbour  
 Carlton  
 Bartlett  
 Seton  
 Otis

# MISCELLANEOUS

Chart of U. S. History,  
 Old Time Meeting Houses of Conn. Valley,  
 Twenty Years at Hull House,  
 37th Regt. Mass. Vols.,  
 Conservation in U. S.,  
 The Course of the Snark,  
 New Era in the Phillipines,  
 Camping and Scouting,  
 Trail of the Axe,  
 Trails of the Pathfinders,  
 A Wonder Book,  
 Model Aeroplanes,  
 The Family Food,  
 Arctic Prairies,  
 Principles of Narration,  
 Memories of Two Wars,

Grosscup  
 Wight  
 Addams  
 Bowen  
 Van Hise  
 London  
 Brown  
 Harpers  
 Cullesen  
 Grinnel  
 Hawthorne  
 Collins  
 Donnell  
 Seton  
 Maxey  
 Funston



## Report of School Committee

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The School Committee submit the following report:

Last spring the hot water system at the Center School house froze and as repairing it would be quite expensive we concluded to put in a supplementary steam plant instead. This has proved quite satisfactory both in heating the school rooms and economy of coal consumption. By the efforts of teachers and scholars, a bell was purchased and put in the belfry.

The Superintendent's report covers the work done in the class rooms.

We recommend the following appropriations.

Schools,	\$2,000 00
Superintendent,	125 00

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. WOOD,  
ARTHUR H. BEERS,  
LENNIE C. SANDERSON,  
School Committee.

## RESOURCES

Unexpended balance from 1910,	\$ 605 33
Appropriation,	2,125 00
High School Tuition,	225 00
Independent Industrial School,	50 00
Mass. School Fund,	1,105 60
Tuition of Children,	3 00
Superintendent's Salary,	151 37

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\$4,265 30

## EXPENDITURES

Teachers,	\$2,142 00
Supplies,	251 68
Fuel,	167 78
Care of School Houses,	153 95
Tuition,	68 00
Transportation,	292 80
Ordinary repairs,	343 76
Superintendent,	210 76
Truant officer,	15 00
School Committee,	100 00
Miscellaneous,	65 13
Balance on hand,	454 44

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\$4,265 30

## TEACHERS

Bertha Hodges, West,	\$132 00
Edith Warner, "	264 00
Carrie Osgood, Center,	132 00
Eva Gove, "	264 00
Kate Batchelder, East	378 40
Mrs. J. A. Wood, "	17 60

Agnes Gorey, East,	\$102 00
Grace Powers, "	207 00
Martha Pierce, "	8 00
Bessie Mirfield, Center,	362 00
Mrs. Belle Bullis, music,	180 00
Beatrice Hibbard, drawing,	95 00

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\$2142 00

### SUPPLIES

Edward Babb & Co., books and supplies,	\$ 8 00
Milton Bradley & Co., books and supplies,	19 86
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	156 87
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, books,	2 63
Ginn & Co., books,	37 32
American Book Co., books,	16 64
F. H. Brown, books,	1 50
O. E. Morton, blocks,	2 00
Beatrice Hibbard, supplies,	6 86

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\$251 68

### FUEL

F. A. Crafts, coal,	\$111 48
Leslie E. Waite, wood,	33 00
Henry Guyet, wood,	13 50
A. H. Beers, drawing coal,	7 80
Howard Waite, drawing coal,	2 00

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\$167 78

### CARE OF SCHOOL HOUSES

Clifford L. Crafts, janitor,	\$24 00
Annie Andzieurich, "	9 00
Clifford Sanderson, "	15 00

J. P. Manwell, janitor,	\$66 55
Minnie Audziewich, "	18 00
Clifford L. Crafts, labor,	7 00
J. P. Manwell, "	1 70
Lennie Sanderson, cleaning,	5 00
J. A. Wood, "	1 75
Minnie Audziewich, "	2 50
A. H. Beers, mowing and cleaning,	3 50
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	\$153 95

## TUITION

George W. Clark,	\$50 00
Town of Deerfield,	18 00
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	\$68 00

## TRANSPORTATION

Leslie E. Waite,	\$ 72 00
Leroy Lawrence,	144 00
Cooley B. Dickinson,	30 00
George Sanderson,	30 00
Conn. Valley Street R. R.,	16 80
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	\$292 80

## ORDINARY REPAIRS

N. H. Lee, steam heat and repairs,	\$242 80
" stove and repairs,	30 03
N. S. Black, plumbing,	11 70
Leroy Lawrence, labor,	2 80
Lennie Sanderson, "	9 25
Lester E. Waite, "	6 45
Leroy Lawrence, paint,	11 00

LaFleur Bros., paper and board,	\$3 22
Merrick Lumber Co., lumber,	3 46
L. C. Sanderson, paint brush and plaster,	1 65
J. A. Wood, glass and bucket,	45
J. P. Manwell, hardware,	2 85
A. H. Beers, lumber, labor, etc.,	16 10
C. A. Cooledge, repair on clock,	1 00
L. F. Crafts, glass and setting,	1 00
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	\$343 76

## SUPERINTENDENT

C. D. Stiles,	\$210 76
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## TRUANT OFFICER

Leroy Lawrence,	\$15 00
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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

James A. Wood,	\$50 00
Arthur H. Beers,	25 00
Lennie C. Sanderson,	25 00
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	\$100 00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Irving Allis,	\$25 00
C. D. Stiles, express and tel.,	2 21
Leslie Waite, broom, express, freight,	1 40
A. H. Beers, freight,	1 50
Howes & Roote, merchandise,	9 20
J. A. Wood, freight, broom, postage,	1 21
L. C. Sanderson, freight, tel.,	35



Mrs. J. A. Wood, census,	\$ 7 50
Formacone Co., disinfectant,	11 30
C. D. Stiles, incidental expense account,	5 46
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	\$65 13

# Superintendent's Report

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*To the School Committee of the Town of Whately:*

Gentlemen—I have the honor to submit herewith my third annual report.

The past decade has been a period of transition in education in the United States.

The needs of the individual pupil are being considered and as a result we have been obliged to pass from traditional to rational methods in education. The effort of present educational reformers is to make the period of school life count for something definite not only in the various school activities but also in the after life of the pupil. A small per cent only of pupils in the grade schools ever enter the high school. Clearly the work of the grades is to prepare as far as possible for life, not merely for higher education. The enrichment of the curriculum has this object in view. In addition to improved methods in practical arts—reading, writing and arithmetic—the want has long been felt for something that will in a measure furnish this life preparation.

The training of the muscles of the hand to make them respond quickly and intelligently to the stimuli of the brain is necessary to avoid a one-sided development. Hence the great activity in manual training. That the influence of the school may be felt in the home, and that home customs may be fashioned by the instruction of the school room is the concern

of the present educational commission. An extra effort is being made to improve the rural school and to increase its usefulness, a special agent having recently been appointed to investigate rural school conditions and to suggest methods for their improvement.

Industrial and domestic science work already well developed in many of schools of the state, will in all probability be the first addition in this problem of enriching the curriculum.

In reviewing the work of the past three years we must admit that outside of the work of drawing and music we have been confining ourselves rather closely to the practical arts, reading, writing and arithmetic. These subjects deserve a large amount of attention but are no longer to be pursued to the exclusion of everything else. When the curricula of schools have been enriched by the addition of many of the newer branches of instruction, the work in the practical arts has not suffered. To meet the demands of present day methods we must include in our school work sewing and cooking, if we are to endeavor to increase from year to year the efficiency of our school system, and if we are to take advantage of modern methods and subjects. These two subjects offer a greater opportunity than many of the other more recent additions to school curricula, for enriching the work of the school, for making the school life count for something definite, and for extending the influence of school instructions to the home.

A supervisor of domestic science would be a very practical addition to our corps of teachers for next year.

A course in practical science and nature study has been placed in the hands of the teachers together with suitable reference books. This course will be introduced beginning with the Spring term, and will provide some garden work along with nature study. In connection with gardening, I wish to call your attention to the plan of the Massachusetts Agricultural College given on another page of the report. The

extension work of our State College is thoroughly practical and I hope that a large number of the pupil will avail themselves of the opportunity offered to do scientific work in agriculture, as well as to become interested in one of the several contests.

The playground experiment is working well. It is sufficiently successful to warrant an increase in equipment for the coming year.

It is with regret that I report the resignation of Miss Mirfield in the primary department of the center school. She has given unsparingly of her time and energy for the welfare of the pupils and has been very successful in her work with them.

The record of the town for attendance is not an enviable one. The percentage of attendance last year was 88.69 per cent., and for the first five months of this year 89.96 per cent. The reason for this low average has not been sickness but the tendency on the part of some of the parents to keep their children out to work. There are numerous cases of absence for which the parents might be called to account by law. It is the intention of the committee this year to enforce strictly the law relative to attendance at school which follows:

## [Revised Laws, Chapter 44.]

### SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

ATTENDANCE COMPULSORY BETWEEN SEVEN AND FOURTEEN YEARS OF AGE, AND UNDER SIXTEEN IN CERTAIN CASES.

SECTION 1. (*As amended by chapter 320, Acts of 1905, and chapter 383, Acts of 1906.*) Every child between seven and fourteen years of age, and every child under sixteen years of age who cannot read at sight and write legible simple sentences in the English language, shall attend some public

day school in the city or town in which he resides during the entire time the public day schools are in session, subject to such exceptions as to children, places of attendance and schools as are provided for in section three of chapter forty-two and sections three, five and six of this chapter. The superintendent of schools or, if there is no superintendent of schools, the school committee, or teachers acting under authority of said superintendent or committee, may excuse cases of necessary absence. The attendance of a child upon a public day school shall not be required if he has attended for a like period of time a private day school approved by the school committee of such city or town in accordance with the provisions of the following section, or if he has been otherwise instructed for a like period of time in the branches of learning required by law to be taught in the public schools, or if he has already acquired such branches of learning, or if his physical or mental condition is such as to render such attendance inexpedient or impracticable. Every person having under his control a child as described in this section shall cause him to attend school as herein required; and if he fails for five day sessions or ten half day sessions within any period of six months while under such control to cause such child, whose physical or mental condition is not such as to render his attendance at school harmful or impracticable, so to attend school, he shall, upon complaint by a truant officer and conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars: *provided, however,* that no physical or mental condition which is capable of correction, or which renders the child a fit subject for special instruction at public charge in institutions other than the public day schools, shall avail as a defence under the provisions of this section unless it shall be made to appear that the defendant has employed all reasonable measures for the correction of the condition, or the suitable instruction of the child. Whoever induces or attempts to induce a child to absent himself unlawfully from school, or employs or harbors a child who,



while school is in session, is absent unlawfully from school shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars.

In conclusion, I wish to call attention to the reports of the Supervisor of Music, and of Drawing which follows, and to express my appreciation of the courtesy and co-operation of the committee, teachers, pupils and parents.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER D. STILES,

Superintendent.

## ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 1st, 1911

Teachers	School	Grade	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent. Attendance	Total Absence	Total Tardiness
Carrie B. Osgood,	Center	5 - 9	23	21.19	19.60	89	379½	74
Bessie Mirfield,	Center	1 - 4	31	26.70	23.60	88.20	519½	30
Grace A. Field,	East	5 - 9	12	10.77	9.58	88.67	189	26
Kate M. Batchelder }								
H. Agnes Gorey,	East	1 - 4	23	20.06	17.87	81.77	371	52
Bertha M. Hodges,	West		17	15.50	14.94	96.39	111	3
			106	94.22	85.79	88.69	1570	185

# ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR 5 MONTHS OF CURRENT YEAR.

Teachers	School	Grade	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent Attendance	Total Absence	Total Tardiness
Eva L. Gove,	Center	6 - 9	32	27.67	25.53	92.26	203	56
Bessie A. Mirfield,	Center	1 - 5	26	25.33	23.24	91.75	237½	28
Kate M. Batchelder,	East	5 - 9	20	15.19	13.07	85.66	202½	24
Grace M. Powers,	East	1 - 4	25	21.02	17.69	84.05	303½	13
Edith L. Warner,	West		21	20.30	19.60	96.10	109½	22
			124	109.51	99.13	89.96	1056	143

# Report of Supervisor of Music

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*To Mr. C. D. Stiles, Superintendent of Schools.*

An outline of the plan for teaching music in your schools may be of interest to those who read this report. The schedule has been followed for the past two years, with the necessary shifting about to suit the needs of the different classes.

## Grade 1—Scale

First five scale tones

First time motion

## Grade 2—Remaining scale tones

Second time motion

## Grade 3—Third time motion

Much sight reading

## Grade 4—Begin chromatics

Sight reading

## Grade 5—Complete chromatics

Two-part singing

Sight reading

## Grade 6—Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh time motions

Two-part singing

Sight reading

## Grade 7-8—Review Grade 6

Three-part singing

Bass clef

Minor scales

This is only a rough sketch of the work done, each subject in its working out being divided into different heads, consuming much time in its teaching and requiring constant and thorough drill before it is mastered.

Respectfully submitted,

BELLIE BULLIS,

Supt. Music.



# Report of Art Supervisor

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*To Mr. C. D. Stiles, Superintendent of Schools:*

The work in drawing of this year has been carried along the same lines as formerly.

In the lower grades an appreciation of things surrounding the pupils and belonging to their environment has been developed with the possibility of placing on paper their own ideas in a true representative manner. It is necessary that problems be kept simple in order to have them interesting and successful but at the same time a foundation is laid for the more advanced work of the older pupils.

The principles of perspective and application of the same are brought before the pupils of the upper grades and an ability to represent in a true pictorial manner common objects surrounding one daily is developed.

The oldest pupils are drilled in this line to such an extent that in drawing an object or objects the idea of perspective and relation of parts is almost habitual, hence we are able to advance much farther in real art, pictorial, decorative and constructive.

It is my endeavor to introduce more of the constructive phase in art than formerly, such as basketry, weaving and bookbinding, to teach the children to appreciate good forms in construction, the composing and application of original designs and an understanding of the making of ordinary objects about us.

Much better work has been done this year and a livelier interest and personal application has been manifested by the pupils and because of which it is my pleasure to express gratitude for the hearty co-operation and helpful interest taken by both teachers and superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

BEATRICE J. HIBBARD,

Art Supervisor.

ROLL OF HONOR

Perfect in attendance for six years

Helen Wood

Perfect in attendance for last year

Everett Manwell

Annie Koncal

Perfect in attendance for fall and winter terms

Carrie Koncal

Jennie Gifford

Perfect in attendance for winter and spring terms

Alta Scott .

Perfect in attendance for fall and spring terms

Alta Mae Sanderson

Perfect in attendance for fall term

Dorothy Koncal

Clifford Sanderson

Emory Sanderson

Alice Link

Dorothy Manwell

Perfect in attendance for winter term

Ada Aldrich

Ethel Dickinson

Mildred Dickinson

Eugene Wood

Whitman Wood

Richard Holden

Marjorie Morton

Perfect in attendance for spring term

Carmen Damon

## EYE AND EAR TEST REPORT

Number of pupils examined, 111

Defective vision, 6

Defective hearing, 1

Parents notified, 4

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter term	January 8 to March 8
Spring vacation	March 9 to March 31
Spring term	April 1 to June 14
Summer vacation	June 15 to September 1
Fall term	September 2 to November 22
Winter term	November 25 to March 6
Xmas vacation	December 21 to January 5

## HOLIDAYS

Labor Day

Greenfield Fair, 2nd day

Columbus Day

Washington's Birthday

Patriots' Day

Memorial Day

Thanksgiving recess, Thursday and Friday of Thanksgiving week









# ORDERS PAID

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Rylan C. Howes, Treasurer, in account with the Town  
of Whately.

1911-12

Contingent,	\$ 428 66
Poor,	99 10
State Aid,	40 00
Schools,	1333 35
Bridges and Culverts,	251 24
Cemeteries,	44 30
Library,	123 59
Highways.	573 93
Interest,	127 24
County Tax.	890 17
State Tax.	770 00
Town Officers,	347 50
Balance,	2128 58

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We, the undersigned Selectmen and Auditor of the Town of Whately, Mass., have this day examined the books of the Treasurer, R. C. Howes, and find in his hands and due the said Town of Whately, Mass., the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Eight and Fifty-Eight One Hundredths Dollars.

LYMAN A. CRAFTS, Auditor.

R. M. SWIFT,  
M. L. CRAFTS,  
V. D. BARDWELL,  
Selectmen.

# RECEIPTS

DR.

Rylan C. Howes, Treasurer, in account with the Town  
of Whately.

1911-12

To cash from balance in treasury,	\$564 52
"    "    M. E. Flavin, Collector,	4119 15
"    "    E. A. Steavens, State Treasurer,	
high school fund,	225 00
"    "    E. A. Steavens, co-op. tax,	33 48
"    "    "        "        Nat. Bank Tax,	482 04
"    "    "        "        State Aid,	192 00
To cash from Street Railway Tax,	113 12
"    "    School Fund,	1105 68
"    "    E. A. Rice, Supt. Salary,	151 37
"    "    Herbert E. Root, Town History,	12 00
"    "    R. Mosher Swift, Interest Betsy Waite	
Fund,	4 04
"    "    R. Mosher Swift, Interest Mary Dick-	
inson Fund,	45 00
"    "    R Mosher Swift, lumber,	5 00
"    "    Wm. Allen, court fines,	10 00
"    "    Ailene Roote. library fines,	7 60
"    "    Edward W. Wood, rent of hall,	5 00
"    "    L. F. Crafts, cemetery lots,	14 00
"    "    E. A. Newcomb, Treas., dog fund,	62 16
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